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TRAFFIC FATALITY #21

Case: 09-1091721

Date: Sunday April 19, 2009

Time: 5:57 p.m.

Location: 9800 block of South IH 35

Deceased: Joshua Martinez, Hispanic male, (D. O. B. 01-16-1984)

Narrative:

On Sunday, April 19, 2009, South Bureau patrol officers responded to a traffic fatality crash in the 9800 block of South IH 35.

A preliminary investigation shows that a white Toyota Avalon was traveling southbound on the frontage road in the 9800 block of South IH 35. For unknown reasons the driver lost control on the frontage and continued onto the grassy median. The Toyota then flipped several times before coming to rest on the proper of southbound IH 35. The driver was pronounced deceased at the scene. Two passengers were transported to the hospital with non-life threatening injuries.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call APD Vehicular Homicide Unit Detectives at 512-974-8266. This case remains under investigation by APD Vehicular Homicide detectives. This is the 21st traffic fatality of 2009.

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